TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1704 – HB 2374

March 21, 2014

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Requires all collateral criminal charges involving possession, storage, use, or transportation of a firearm be dismissed if there is a determination that the use of force was justifiable. Requires all charges and records be expunged and all administrative hearings on the matter be concluded in the person's favor.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014720): Deletes all language after the enacting clause and rewrites the bill. Reorganizes the provisions of the proposed legislation, but makes no substantive changes.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- According to the Department of Correction, the proposed legislation will not significantly impact state incarceration costs.
- According to the courts, district attorneys, and public defenders, the proposed legislation will not significantly impact their caseloads.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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